

STRIKERS LOSE MEAL TICKETS.

Unionists at Goldfield Cease to Contribute.

Decline to Further Keep Miners in Idleness.

Wages of Expert Workmen at Mines Advanced.

TRY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M. GOLDFIELD (Nev.) Jan. 7.—The barkeepers and other trades allied with the Western Federation through the Industrial Workers of the World are in open revolt today against the heavy assessment levied to support the miners' strike. They have been paying upward of \$5000 per week assessments, and they refuse to contribute further.

Members of the Mine Operators' Association have been given authority to pay a maximum wage of \$8 per day to both carpenters and electricians for certain kinds of work, as a result of extended conference with a committee representing the building trades and the American Federation of Labor. The wage scale adopted by the association is \$5 for carpenters and electricians at the mines.

The reason assigned for the increase is that certain work requires men possessed of greater skill than the ordinary work of these craftsmen around the mines.

The answer on the part of the Miners' Union No. 220 to the complaint recently filed in Carson at the instance of the Consolidated Mines Company, asking that the local organization of the miners be enjoined from holding meetings, has been practically completed. The document is a voluminous one and it bears answer to all of the sensational allegations made in the original papers. It will be taken to Carson next Thursday by the attorney who will represent the union at the hearing, to take place before Judge Farrington.

The answer will also contain affidavits made by members of the local union and others.

TO WORK AT GOLDFIELD. MANY MINERS SECURED.

SALT LAKE (Utah) Jan. 7.—One hundred and twenty miners were secured here today for work in the mines at Goldfield.

George E. Wingfield of Goldfield advertised for a hundred men and secured 120 within two hours.

EXTEND LABEL LAW.

California Federation of Labor Demands That Brands Bear Pin-Head Marks.

WALLINGFORD, Jan. 7.—The morning session of the State Federation of Labor Convention was devoted to the making of delegates.

Carmen's Union No. 295 of San Francisco seated delegates, although the carmen were in arrears. This act was an endorsement of a recommendation of the Executive Committee. The har-teners and hotel employees of Wallingford were seated, although they applied for membership as a union only three months ago. Standing committees were named. Telegrams of congratulation were sent to President Gompers, extending the best wishes to the American Federation of Labor.

Resolutions were also passed calling upon the California delegation in Congress to work for a postal savings bank.

A ball this evening in honor of visiting delegates was the largest ever given by the union of this city.

SUGAR TRUST MAKES RECORD.

Past Fiscal Year the Best the American Refining Company Ever Experienced.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The American Sugar Refining Company's past fiscal year, which will be reviewed at the annual meeting, Wednesday, January 8, was one of the best that the company has experienced.

The result has been attained by a large increase in the profits derived from the beet sugar industry, which has increased at least 25 per cent. during that period.

Aside from a probable disclosure of some of the company's affairs, the meeting's result can be pretty well determined in advance. Secretary Helke says that Horace Havemeyer will be elected a director, succeeding the late H. O. Havemeyer, and J. B. Parsons and George H. Fraser will be re-elected as directors. The board will then elect Mr. Thomas as president.

It is thought the policy of the company will be less restrictive and that the various lawsuits inherited from the Havemeyer regime will be adjudicated.

On the basis of the sugar meeting the company's net earnings for 1935 can be approximately estimated at \$10,000,000. The earnings on the common stock are above 16 per cent. in addition to the regular preferred dividend of 7 per cent.

BONFIS KEEPS QUIET.

Not Called to Testify at His Trial for Assault Upon Former Senator Patterson.

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 7.—Taking of testimony in the trial of Fred G. Bonfils for assault upon Thomas M. Patterson was concluded today.

The defense rested its case without calling Mr. Bonfils to the stand.

Justice of the Peace Carlson will tomorrow hear arguments upon the admissibility of evidence as to mitigating circumstances in an action for assault and other points involved.

Columbia University has added three artists to its faculty. Keaton Cox has been appointed professor of painting; Daniel C. French, professor of sculpture; and John La Farge, professor of decorative arts. It is not announced what the duties of the new professors will be.

DISCOURAGES DILATORY TACTICS OF COUNSEL.



Judge Victor J. Dowling.

presiding in the Thaw trial, who is doing all in his power to expedite it. Frequently he takes a hand in examining prospective jurors and, when he does, the fitness or unfitness of the candidate is quickly made manifest.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Despite the approach of a cold wave from the Medicine Hat country, and snow in Minnesota and Duluth, Chicago is promised another twenty-four hours of pleasant weather. Today was clear, with temperatures abnormally high. The maximum for the day was 41 degrees, and the minimum 21 degrees. A brisk wind from the southwest prevailed. Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	40	22
Bismarck	40	24
Calumet	40	24
Cheyenne	40	24
Cincinnati	44	28
Cleveland	44	28
Concordia	44	28
Davenport	46	30
Des Moines	46	30
Detroit	46	30
Devils Lake	46	30
Dodge City	46	30
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St. Paul	46	30
Sault Ste. Marie	46	30

APPEAL AGAINST PINHEADS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The firm of Brans & Southard, installers of automatic sprinklers, has filed suit in the Superior Court to enjoin the Associated Building Trades of Chicago, and its component and affiliated labor organizations from interfering with it. Complainants set up that defendants are calling strikes wherever their men are employed and annoying and boycotting with firms which they trade with.

SPONGE LEFT IN BODY.

DAYTON, Ohio, Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Guest Scheel and wife have sued the doctors, Matthew brothers, claiming \$15,000 damages. It is alleged that in an operation on Mrs. Scheel the surgeons left a sponge in her body and that a second operation was necessary to remove it.

FINANCIAL.

CHICAGO SCRIP PASSING AWAY.

BANKS RETIRING CERTIFICATES AS FAST AS POSSIBLE.

Will Withdraw All Clearinghouse Checks They Can Reach by Friday—Considerable Quantity Is Expected to Be Held by Individuals as Souvenirs.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The complete withdrawal of clearinghouse checks from circulation in Chicago is to mark the present week as a red-letter one in Chicago's financial history, according to arrangements now being carried out rapidly.

Friday, January 10, is set as the day on which the last check within reach of the bankers will be put away in the clearinghouse.

Members of the Clearinghouse Sub-Committee said that a considerable amount would never be bothered for redemption, being held as souvenirs.

The total amount of the checks engraved was \$13,572,000. Of this amount, \$7,518,000 was put into circulation.

CONDITIONS NOW NORMAL.

DEPOSITORS SO NOTIFIED.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 7.—Two of the largest national banks in this city today notified their depositors that conditions are now normal.

COUNTRY BANKS STRONG.

SHOW BIG CASH RESERVES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 7.—An examination of the reports of the country banks, submitted in accordance with the call issued by the State Bank

DENSEN BOOSTS CANNON.

DANVILLE (Ill.) Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) That Illinois will go solid for Speaker "Joe" Cannon for President at the national convention was the declaration of Gov. Densen at a mass meeting held here last night.

Gov. Densen declared that "Uncle Joe" was the best-fitted man in the race for the nomination, and he predicted that he would be the next occupant of the Presidential chair.

STONKIN MAKES DENIAL.

ST. PAUL (Minn.) Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Samuel C. Stonkin, vice-president and general manager of the Chicago Great Western, tonight emphatically denied the report that proceedings are under way looking towards picking the road in the hands of a receiver. He asserted that there is not the slightest likelihood of such an event.

STATE FLOWER AND TREE.

ROCHESTER (Ill.) Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Pupils of the public schools of Illinois held a contest during the week ending Jan. 5, to select the state flower and the state tree. The white oak received 11,230 votes. The purple violet received 15,851 votes and the wild rose by 12,264. The blue and golden rod country thistle, and the blue and white cornflower also received large numbers of votes.

BOYCOTTING "POSTED" DRUNKS.

MILWAUKEE (Wis.) Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) Saloonkeepers in Manitowish, Wis., have petitioned the Common Council of that place to order the Chief of Police to cooperate with them in preventing "posted" drunkards from obtaining liquor. They want the chief to take each "posted" man to every saloon in Manitowish and personally introduce him to every bartender in town.

TO FIGHT CIGAR TRUST.

PEORIA (Ill.) Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) The Home Cigar Company with a capital stock of \$1,000,000, was organized in Peoria today with 131 independent manufacturers of Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Missouri, and Iowa subscribing. The avowed purpose of the organization is to fight the cigar trust. The plan includes the opening of independent cigar stores in the larger cities of the Middle West within thirty days.

Commission shows a cash reserve equal to 25 per cent. of the deposits. This is regarded as an exhibition of remarkable strength. It was known that the country banks of the State were unusually strong, but it was not expected they would be able to show such a large percentage of available cash.

In all cases to which the commission has so far given its attention a reserve far in excess of the amount required by law has been found.

COUNTRY YIELDS CURRENCY.

MOVEMENT AGAIN NORMAL.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—That the movement of currency back from the country has reached fair proportions is shown by the figures on the shipments and receipts of principal Chicago shipping banks in December.

The receipts in the month from country points aggregated \$5,592,320, the largest for any month in the year 1935, excepting January.

The figure compares with receipts of a little more than \$1,000,000 in November, 1935, and with receipts of \$3,562,000 in December, 1935.

PROMISES CRIMINAL ACTION.

Chairman of Committee of Stockholders of Metropolitan Says He Is After Looters.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) William F. King, chairman of a committee of minority stockholders of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company, who are determined to criminally prosecute the looters of that corporation, whether Dist.-Atty. Jerome is willing to help or not, was not at all discouraged today by the result of his conference with Gov. Hughes at Albany on Monday.

The Governor made it plain that it would be unwise to supplant Dist.-Atty. Jerome unless formal charges against him were made and proven. He also said he regarded the whole Metropolitan situation as deplorable.

THREE THAW JURORS SWORN.

Four Men in Box Subject to Challenge.

Two-thirds of Big Panel Is Exhausted.

Defendant's Wife Appears in Ruddy Health.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.] NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Three jurors sworn to serve on the trial panel for Harry K. Thaw represented tonight the net result of the two days and six sessions of the trial before Judge Dowling in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court.

In addition to the trio who are oath-bound to well and truly try the case, there were in the jury box at the close of the night session four senators of the trial before Judge Dowling in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court.

The task of filling the five vacant chairs will be resumed tomorrow morning, when the last installment of 100 talesmen summoned on the original omnibus panel of 500 names will report for examination. In all, ninety-five proposed jurors were called and questioned today, as against fifty-seven yesterday.

At the close of the afternoon session the jury box was filled and hopes ran high that at least a majority of those tentatively chosen would prove acceptable to both sides. With the beginning of the trial before Judge Dowling in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court, however, all such hopes were dispelled.

When the suddenly descended storm of peremptory challenges blew away there were but three survivors. And it was agreed that they should be sworn in as the nucleus of the trial panel. They are Charles Greenbaum, a ship broker, who is to be foreman; Arthur R. Neathling, a baker and caterer; and George W. Corp, a dry goods dealer.

Following the administration of the oath to these three men, it was agreed that the jury box should again be filled.

The four provisional jurors are George C. Ruppert, salesman; Moses Greenbaum, insurance agent; John R. Neathling, baker; and Thomas F. Cranston, printer.

Forty talesmen were examined at the evening session, which lasted until 10:30.

Mrs. Evelyn Thaw was not in the courtroom when the proceedings began today. Her husband's wife, the only relative in the line of chairs reserved for the defendant's family.

Young Mrs. Thaw came in, however, and sat in the box with her husband. She was ruddy of cheek and appears in the best of health, a sharp contrast to her husband, who is thin and pale. She is wearing a dark dress and a white collar.

Her hair, wavy and dark, gives him something of an unkempt appearance.

WARFARE IS NOW ON.

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Commenting upon the situation, a well-known writer criticizes the Japanese Ambassador's statement with a warning to the United States to be taken unwaveringly like Russia, and to be ready at any moment or as soon as possible, to protect its possessions in the Pacific.

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No names were made public. It was found that dead men had been carried on the payrolls for several years.

MALFEASANCE IS CHARGED.

Formal Papers Served by Gov. Warner of Michigan Against State Treasurer Glasier.

LANSING (Mich.) Jan. 7.—Gov. Warner today served upon State Treasurer Glasier formal charges of malfeasance in office and gross neglect of duty in depositing State funds amounting to \$55,357 in the Chicago Savings Bank, which failed last month.

The filing of charges followed Glasier's refusal to resign. Glasier is critically ill.

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to have been smuggled from Canada into the United States at Detroit, were found today by Conductor Carl Wykoff when the Chicago-bound Wabash train reached Gary, Ind. Both were turned over to United States officials. Both prisoners were being directed them to "Long Yuan, No. 337 Clark street, Chicago."

Just before daylight, a Chicago woman in the coach was awakened by a noise. Believing that burglars were at work she gave an alarm. The passengers were all awakened, but could find no burglar. One of them summoned Conductor Wykoff, who headed the search through the berths and under the seats. When the linen closet was opened, Chinamen were found in the closet. It is asserted by Federal officials that many Chinamen have been brought into Chicago in this manner.

HORRID THING!

COL. "JIM HAM" TALKS AWFULLY.

SAYS AN OATH MEANS NOTHING TO A WOMAN.

Chicago Attorney With Lurid Hints Admonishes Tells Law Students That When a Female Witness Starts Out to Perjure Herself She Starts Out Old Nick Himself.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—"Remember, gentlemen of the bar, an oath means nothing to a woman, and as Horace has so truthfully expressed it, 'when a woman starts out to perjure herself, all she cannot keep her record.'"

With these words, and a few more like them, Col. James Hamilton Lewis took the breath away from 200 students of the Northwestern University Law School last night.

"A woman always comes to testify as a witness for one or two reasons," he said. "Either she comes through a sense of affection of duty to those whom she loves, or she comes to satisfy what she regards as a perfectly legitimate feeling of resentment."

"If it is the first of these, she will come through fire and water to testify and she will see things that her friend views them. Sincerely and earnestly she will testify that things are what she thinks they are, and you may cross-examine until you have exhausted the vocabulary and you will get nothing from her but her own oath, and a woman will repeat her oath any time which she will say when not on oath."

"If she comes as your witness, impelled by a feeling of resentment, be careful to get her into a trap. Get your main point out of her as expeditiously as possible and let her go. Do not branch out into collateral matters, or she will take the first opportunity to vindicate herself for the wrong she has done."

"On the other hand, if you are cross-examining her, be careful not to let her state the grievance that has brought her in as a witness against your client unless you are sure of an acquittal. If it be an act impelled by natural and legitimate affection, the worst will ever follow her."

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very California. And the prize winners, but all beautiful, as well as the class degree.

large crowd, was again yesterday evening, and Chutes was extremely to accommodate the large.

The rivalry between the two is very keen, and the proceedings very interesting.

the presence of the prize winners of the day.

frills of W. F. Dwyer, the most freaky of the feathers appear to have blown them in the direction to which Mr. J. I. Royce of Los Angeles exhibited his brood of birds. The birds which are very similar to the Andalusians and to have good blue and white fowls are also one of the varieties, and their color is very broad and white. That a hen of this variety lays a year, though not officially announced, has been stated in the entire exhibition. The Andalusite belonging to W. F. Dwyer, which the silver medal of the poultry

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...the men have been assigned to join the naval reserve and the soldiers of Fort Huachuca will be reformed a military company at the cemetery. There were hundreds of soldiers who attended the service, but only a few were assigned to the procession had wound the side of Point Loma. The public was admitted, but no space. A large mass was unable to get in.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Michigan Outdoors.
The next meeting of the Michigan Society will be held outdoors in Eastlake park, the 25th inst., and many tourists from Michigan are expected to gather with local residents from that state.

Public Welfare.
Persons sending packages by mail to foreign countries are often very careless in wrapping them up, and J. T. McCleary, second assistant postmaster-general, directs the postmaster to refuse to receive any package not so prepared that it can be safely transported in ordinary mail sacks.

Inventory Bankruptcy.
Creditors of the Kamya Company, owner of Japanese curio stores at No. 308 South Spring street and No. 143 West Fifth street, filed an inventory petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court, yesterday. The creditors are H. Harolsh, R. Fukuda, and others, with claims aggregating \$4000.

Girls the Escapes.
The senior girls of Occidental College gave a leap year party in honor of their male classmates last night at the home of Miss Bertha Boal on Avenue 22. The affair was unique, as all the usual customs were reversed, the young women escorting the young men to and from the party, and performing all the offices usually devolving upon the men.

Firebreaks and Phones.
Firebreaks from Cajon Pass eastward to the Yosemite Valley will be constructed under the supervision of the United States Forestry Service. Contractors have been let for twenty-three miles of them, and work will be begun at once. A telephone line is being built by forest rangers from Cajon Pass station over the mountain ranges to Fredaba.

Moving Car, Serious Injury.
Mrs. Julia Edwards of No. 253 Ogden street was slightly injured about 7 o'clock last night when she attempted to board a moving Moneta-avenue car at the Plaza. The woman was thrown to the pavement and sustained a scalp wound and slight contusion of the brain. After being treated at the Rescuing Hospital she was taken to her home.

Cheerful Amid Lepers.
Rev. Joseph Dutton, successor to Father Damien, who died in the lepers' colony at Molokai, Hawaii, has written a greeting to Postmaster Filmer who met the devoted priest when he went to the islands in 1906 to establish the postal system. The card reads: "Am wishing a merry Christmas and a happy New Year for you, Mr. Filmer, and for everybody."

South-Neighbourly Stars Attached.
Creditors of a furniture store at No. 308 South Spring street, placed judgments aggregating \$6000 upon the stock and fixtures yesterday. It is stated that inability to dispose of a large stock of holiday goods led to financial embarrassment. An assignment probably will be made for the benefit of creditors through the Wholesale Board of Trade.

Gas Overcomes Woman.
Mrs. Frank P. McGuire of No. 809 Central avenue was overcome by illuminating gas yesterday afternoon when she went into the basement of her husband's grocery store. She remained as she sank unconscious. McGuire carried her out of the cellar and a physician was summoned. The gas had escaped from a broken jet. It was necessary to close the store until the pipes could be repaired.

G.A.R. Reception.
At the reception to be given at Stanfield Hall, Friday evening, to Department Commander W. G. Waters by Grand Army Post, members of the Woman's Relief Corps and Sons of Veterans, there will be addresses by Judge B. N. Smith, Judge O. D. Wilbur and Mrs. J. E. Coleman. The commander and his staff will visit the soldiers' home Thursday afternoon and in the evening will be entertained in Pasadena.

Ballad Concert.
The ladies of Christ Episcopal Church will give a ballad concert in Cumnock Hall on the evening of the 17th inst. Mrs. Robert Wankowski, Miss Richards, Douglas Walker, J. Chick and other local musicians, will contribute numbers. There will be a Scotch dance in costume, followed by general dancing for all who wish to participate, and light refreshments will be served. The concert is under the auspices of the ladies' auxiliary, and the proceeds will be used in their work.

To Receive Visitors.
To make adequate preparations for the reception of visitors during the next few months, President W. D. Stephens of the Chamber of Commerce appointed the following committees, yesterday: Reception for Spokane business men's excursion, J. V. Vickers, C. N. Campbell, L. K. Chase, O. G. Johnson, H. G. Dean, and R. Doyle; reception for members of National Railroad Ticket Agents' Association, James Stinson, C. W. Fleming, W. G. Barnwell, N. R. Martin and T. C. Peck; entertainment of Rear Admiral Evans, Willis H. Booth, Walter Raymond, A. W. Skinner, E. F. Kilduff, F. W. Braun, W. D. Powell and J. G. Mott.

TRAIN GOES THROUGH TRESTLE.
Five Coaches Drove Into Creek and Score of Passengers Are Injured, but Not Fatally.
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS-P.E.)
ATLANTA (Ga.) Jan. 7.—The second section of what is known as the Colver special, running from Cleveland to St. Augustine, Fla., was wrecked today between Dallas and Hiram, Ga., on the Southern Railway, on a trestle twenty-five feet over the nearly dry bed of Cooper Mine Creek.

Five of the cars went into the mud, and as a result, a score or more passengers, most of them residents of Ohio, were injured, but none will die.

LONGING FOR THE HOMETLAND.

PATHETIC SCENES AMONG THE HELPLESS CHOLOS.

Struggle for Preference to Secure Free Passage to Mexico—Hundreds Fed at Bethlehem Institution, and Sheltered for the Night—Pleading for Supplies.

Thousands of poor Mexicans, who have lived along the sunny western border of the Pacific all their days; who were born in the land from whence come stories of fabulous wealth in gold and silver, and into which millions of American capital is being steadily poured; yet with eager ears these people have listened to the siren song of plenty that was wafted to them from Southern California, and now find themselves stranded in want and misery.

A year's steady work at fair wages on the railroads served to make them contented, but created no surplus in the larger, and when work ceased they found themselves thrown upon charity.

Yesterday, possibly for the tenth time, they assembled in a hall on San Fernando street, packed the place to suffocation, while the Mexican Vice-Consul, Antonio Lozano, examined into each case and chose the most dependent to be sent back to Mexico.

When they decided to come to this land of promise, they brought with them the lame, the sick and the helpless, apparently expecting to spend the remainder of their days here.

A bent old woman, seemingly all alone, strove eagerly for a place in front, so that she might state her case of telling her story, before all the tickets were given out; a sickly mother, accompanied by a small boy on crutches; a father with three small boys; mothers with little girls, and with babies in arms; men and women of all ages, from 15 to 80, were gathered there in a solid phalanx, while hundreds more waited on the street for the sign from the policeman that they might enter.

It was pathetic in the extreme, and one might almost wish that no tide of great prosperity should ever sweep over this sunlit land. It seems like these must follow.

But this is not all. Six hundred of them were served with dinner by Dana Bartlett at Bethlehem institution. Vignes and Ducommun streets, and then they took up the line of march across the city to be at the meeting with Consul Lozano. Those who secured tickets of passage for the carload that will go South today, went back to Bethlehem for their supplies in a happy mood, but the hundreds of disappointed ones went weary enough to their free hand-out, and will try their luck again today.

It is hard to determine which is the most pathetic scene—the mothers and fathers holding their little ones tightly by the hand and waiting for their turn at the bean pot, or the same ones struggling for preference among those who are to be sent back home.

Probably 400 or 500 have been sent to Mexico during the past week, and Consul Lozano is earnestly struggling with the hard task before him. It is difficult to determine which is the most worthy case for immediate action, when it comes to choosing between sick and dependent ones, but the Mexican official is showing commendable wisdom, and there seems to be no complaint.

While this winnowing process is going on, how many people are giving thought to the conditions of these unfortunate Mexicans, and how they are to be cared for meantime?

They have come to look to Bethlehem institution as their place of support. Hundreds of them, who were sleeping in the river bed a week ago, some rolled in a thin blanket and some with only the thin clothing they wear during the day, are now sleeping on the floor of the bath-house, which is kept comfortably warm by the big water heating furnace.

This is a matter of no expense, save for the fuel it requires, but the feeding of them is a great burden on the institution, which yesterday furnished 1200 life-saving meals, with the prospect of many more today, providing the weather continues.

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ANDERSON. At the farm residence, Valley Fair, Kan., January 2, Samuel Anderson, aged 77, died of heart failure. Father of John W. Anderson and Samuel Anderson. OLIVER. At his home, January 4, John William Oliver, beloved husband of Harriet Oliver and father of James and William Oliver, aged 58, died of heart failure. Funeral services at the chapel of Breese Brothers, 55 South Figueroa street, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.

MARRIAGES.
SMITH-CALDWELL. Mrs. Smith, aged 21, a native of Arkansas, and a resident of Little Rock, and Caldwell, aged 21, a native of Arkansas, a resident of Los Angeles, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, 1000 North Main street, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.

Deaths.
NICHOLSON. At his residence, 1000 North Main street, Los Angeles, California, January 2, died of heart failure, John Nicholson, aged 58, a native of Nebraska, and Katherine E. Nicholson, aged 58, a native of Illinois, both residents of Los Angeles.

Deaths.
DOUGLASS-REED. Charles C. Douglass, aged 58, a native of Ohio, and a resident of Los Angeles, died of heart failure, at his residence, 1000 North Main street, Los Angeles, California, January 2, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.

Deaths.
JAMES-CROWE. Woodbridge H. James, aged 25, a native of Missouri, and Pearl Crowe, aged 21, a native of Alabama, both residents of Santa Ana, California, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, 1000 North Main street, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.

Deaths.
HOLLOWELL-SHINN. Edmon H. Hollowell, aged 21, a native of Colorado, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Shinn, aged 21, a native of Colorado, both residents of Los Angeles, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, 1000 North Main street, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.

Deaths.
DANNER-LOTT. Cyndie D. Danner, aged 15, a native of Arkansas, and Lott, aged 15, a native of Arkansas, both residents of Los Angeles, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, 1000 North Main street, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.

Deaths.
CURRY-TRUIT. Grete D. Curry, aged 21, a native of Illinois, and Truit, aged 21, a native of California, both residents of Los Angeles, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, 1000 North Main street, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.

Deaths.
ARALLLO-MADENA. Frank D. Arallo, aged 21, a native of California, and Madena, aged 21, a native of Texas, both residents of Los Angeles, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, 1000 North Main street, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.

Deaths.
PERRY-MCDONALD. Otis W. Perry, aged 21, a native of Indiana, and McDonald, aged 21, a native of Indiana, both residents of Los Angeles, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, 1000 North Main street, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.

Deaths.
KREITER. John Henry Kreiter, aged 21, a native of New York, and Kreiter, aged 21, a native of New York, both residents of Los Angeles, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Caldwell, 1000 North Main street, at 2 o'clock, Wednesday, January 28. Friends invited. Undertakers please call.



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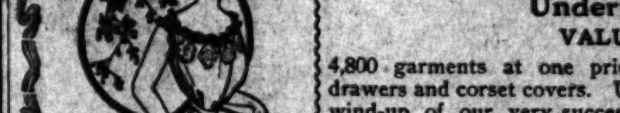
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Exclusively
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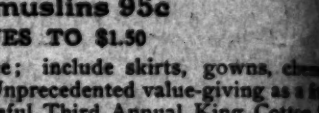
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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Determined to reduce still further the city's current expenses, the Finance Committee of the Council held the first of a series of executive conferences yesterday with the heads of several municipal departments to discuss finances.

In an estimate prepared for the Finance Committee, the City Engineer says that the cost of the sewerage system for the year 1930 will be \$1,000,000 more than the amount of bonds issued to cover the cost of the improvement, \$900,000 of this money has been taken from the current revenue fund of the present fiscal year.

Charles L. Pierce yesterday filed suit in the Superior Court against Dr. James F. Scherrie, and Mrs. Mary A. Scherrie for \$50,000 damages for the alleged assault upon Pierce in the latter's office last November.

Fred Koch wrote out a warrant against Julia Gollins, Dot Vico, and Clarence Edwards, whom he charged with taking his team without permission.

Judge Hutton yesterday began hearing the evidence in James A. Johnston's \$5000 damage suit against R. A. Teague for failing to properly set out and maintain an orange orchard for Johnston, according to the terms of a lease.

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AT THE CITY HALL.

PURSE STRING DRAWN TIGHT.

FINANCE COMMITTEE INSISTS ON RETRENCHMENT.

First of a Series of Executive Conferences, With Department Heads to Hold in Office of City Auditor. Must Keep Promise for a "Business Administration."

A thrill of trepidation ran through all departments at the City Hall yesterday afternoon, as the rumor swept through the corridors that the Finance Committee was meeting in executive session with the heads of departments, demanding that they reduce their office forces so as to bring their expenses within the budget estimate.

Down in the office of the Auditor on the first floor the three commissioners, sat behind barred doors; a number of department chiefs went into the inspection, to return later with elated brows. Each declined to talk about the secret conference with the commissioners of finance.

Little place men trembled at their desks, especially in the departments where the budget allowance is already overdrawn.

When it was all over a member of the committee said that this was only the first of a number of conferences with department chiefs. Yesterday the committee devoted their entire time to cleaning up the debris of the old municipal year; the Auditor's desk was all cluttered up with requisitions and demands that have been passed along from month to month by the Council and by the departments; each was defective in some way, the Auditor said. He had asked that there be a financial house cleaning to begin the new year.

Secretary Taylor of the engineering department presented for review an estimate of the final expense of completing the water tower. A misunderstanding had arisen between the Finance Committee and the Board of Public Works, because bills for the water tower were coming in late. The Finance Committee had understood that the last accounts were settled.

The statement yesterday showed that after all credits for materials had been deducted, the actual cost of the water tower will be \$125,000 more than the amount set aside for this improvement. Of this sum \$100,000 was taken from the tax fund of last year, and \$25,000 has been taken from this year's revenue.

Inspector Edwards of the department of street maintenance was called by the committee to confer over his expenditures in his department. Mr. Edwards told the committee that his appropriation had been cut at least \$1000 by the failure of the Council to turn over to the street department the chain link of the bridge agreed upon when the bridge was prepared. At that time \$1000 was granted to the street department to pay for the chain link, and it was understood that the number of teams should be reduced from fifteen to eight.

The committee and their friends wanted to delay the passage of this ordinance for three months. The Council took action from the street fund and placed it in the police fund to pay for the time the teams remained in the police department. Judge Edwards found himself with but \$500 to furnish teams for the next three months.

This is but the beginning of a series of executive conferences; through them the Finance Committee and Auditor hoped to place the conditions of the different city departments on a sound working basis and make it impossible for any of them to overrun their allowances without first securing extra appropriations from the Council itself.

Before the committee has finished a number of positions probably will be abolished and the salaries of others reduced to what they were three years ago.

ENFORCED VACATIONS.

PRECEDENT ESTABLISHED.

The Civil Service Commission declined last night to order the reinstatement of two employees in the street department who have been sent on enforced vacations by the Board of Public Works for the purpose of reducing the department expenditures. The decision of the commission is of prime importance at the present time as it confirms the jurisdiction of the head of a department to reduce his working force without asking the Council to abolish the positions.

N. C. Whinn, superintendent of street sweeping, and F. L. Nicolay, inspector of excavations, reported to the committee that they have been instructed by the Board of Public Works to take a vacation for thirty days without pay. Their attorney argued that in doing so the board had exceeded its authority. After a short discussion the commissioners expressed the opinion

that the board is acting within its authority, provided no single vacation is made to extend longer than thirty days.

SAYS BOARD IS TO BLAME.

EXTRAVAGANCE IS CHARGED.

T. Wisendanger has taken issue with the Board of Public Works, because specifications for certain streets provide for brick gutters in place of cement. He asserts that the board has permitted contractors to overcharge property owners outrageously for street improvements.

Mr. Wisendanger is a persistent protester at the City Hall. He owns property in a number of places in the city and is generally in dispute with some city department. His general charge is extravagance and incompetence in the management of the city's business.

In the City Hall corridors yesterday Wisendanger said that Commissioner Hubbard of the Board of Public Works has used his influence to have more brick used in street improvements.

Commissioner Hubbard laughed good-naturedly when he heard of the charges Wisendanger is making. "I have no interest in any brick company, and I have suggested the use of brick only where my experience in business has taught me that they will last longer and be cheaper in the end to the property owner than any other material."

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

TO HURT WIFE, SUES FRIENDS.

REAL ESTATE DEALER DEMANDS HEAVY DAMAGES.

Charles Thos. Physician Who Beat Him Also Helped to Alienate the Affections of His Wife—Married Troubles of the Pierce May Be Aired in Court.

The marital troubles of Charles L. Pierce, a real estate dealer at No. 200 West Pico street, took a new turn yesterday when Pierce filed in the Superior Court two suits against Dr. James F. Scherrie, No. 2001 West Pico street, one of them for \$50,000 damages for an assault by Dr. Scherrie on Pierce in the latter's office, November 6, and the other charging Dr. Scherrie and his wife, Mary A. Scherrie, with having alienated the affections of Pierce's wife, and that the two damages for their alleged unfavorable influence over her.

Both suits are the outcome of Mrs. Pierce's suit for divorce filed against her husband last October, when she charged him with cruelty and non-support. After she began divorce proceedings, she asked Pierce to leave their home, but as he refused, she took her three daughters, the oldest of whom is 15 years old, and went to live with her friends, the Scherries.

Pierce charges that Mrs. Scherrie exercises an undesirable influence over his wife and that to interfere with his marital troubles are due. Mrs. Pierce asserts that her husband's unkind and jealous attitude toward her has been a constant source of trouble for years and that it finally reached a point where it was impossible for her to endure it longer.

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TREES SHRIVEL.

DAMAGE SUIT FOLLOWS.

Several shriveled young orange trees stood in the entrance to Judge Hutton's courtroom waiting to be entered as exhibits in James A. Johnston's \$5000 damage suit against R. A. Teague which went to trial yesterday.

In April, 1928, Johnston leased to Teague for four years and three months a piece of land near San Dimas to be used as an orange nursery. According to the terms of the lease, Teague was to plant the land to two and three-year-old healthy orange seedlings to be budded according to Johnston's pleasure, all dying stock to be replaced, and all stock to be properly cared for in every way. At the end of the lease all nursery stock was to be removed from the ground and the land was to be left in thoroughly good condition.

Johnston asserts that Teague did not do these things, as he failed to plant the land to healthy seedlings, and when the trees failed to bud did not transplant them and left vacancies, while Teague's negligence in not removing the gum disease, so that the orchard has been damaged in the sum of \$5000.

Johnston says that all defects in the orchard are due to natural causes and not to any lack of skill or care on his part.

BOYS PLEAD GUILTY.

WERE SHOOTING FOR BEER.

E. Hamerle and H. Anderson, two 16-year-old boys, pleaded guilty in Judge Wilbur's court yesterday to a charge of burglary for having broken into William Loe's South Main street liquor warehouse, November 30, and stealing several bottles of beer and a demijohn of wine, which they shared with other boys.

When arraigned in court both boys promptly admitted their guilt and said that they had drunk part of the liquor, while the rest had been taken from them by Policeman C. A. Cickock, who arrested them. They had broken through a door between the barn and the warehouse and had no difficulty in securing the liquor. Judge Wilbur turned the boys over to their parents, pending final disposition of their case.

STOCKER'S STOCK.

IT BELONGED TO ANOTHER.

H. J. Stocker, whose preliminary examination on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses was held yesterday afternoon before Justice Delph, was bound over to the Superior Court under \$10,000 bail. Stocker is accused of having sold in 1928, to Mrs. Shindberger of Antelope Valley, for \$125, a mare that is the property of Newland and Leatherman of Huntington Beach, who, in October, 1928, was charged with selling the mare to Stocker.

The outfit had been previously sold to one Teague and included the mare in question. Stocker asserted that she had died and refused to allow her name to be entered in the Huntington Beach records. Newland and Leatherman learned from Stocker's former that the mare was alive and had been sold to Stocker.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BOY ACQUITTED. Little Charlie Biville of Glendale, who was on trial before Judge Wilbur in the Superior Court for nearly two full days upon a charge of burglary, was acquitted by the judge yesterday and left the courtroom a free boy with his mother.

While he was on trial, Biville was charged with having stolen a watch and a pair of shoes from a store on the east-bank of a A. Ward in Glendale. Many children testified for the prosecution and for the defense.

SUPERVISORS MEET. The supervisors at their meeting yesterday morning at the County Administration Building, at the county farm and P. H. Hutchinson an extra guard at the County Hospital. A part of Lancaster school district in Lancaster Valley was set apart to form the new Roosevelt School district on the recommendation of County School Superintendent Mark Keppel. The remainder of the session was devoted to routine business.

SUPPORT REFUSED. Beale M. Page yesterday filed suit for suitable support in the Superior Court against Jacob W. Page, whom he married in September, 1921, at Barre, Vt., and who deserted her, she says, in October, 1922, at Montpelier. Page says that he has contributed nothing to her support and owns no property in Western Utah.

ALIBI. Alleging that Chris Brenner, whom she married in Los Angeles in December, 1924, deserted her in July, 1927, and who since refused to support her, has in his own mind planned to return to his native land, Hattie B. Brenner yesterday filed suit in the Superior Court asking that lots 4 and 50, South Vermont avenue tract, owned by her husband, be set aside by the court for her support.

GETS DAMAGES. Judge Monroe yesterday awarded P. M. Young \$200 damages in his \$5000 damage suit against the Southern Pacific Railway Company for being ejected from a train to Redlands in October, 1928, because of his refusal to pay his fare. Young testified that Conductor J. D. Fitzgerald took up his railroad trip book and afterwards demanded payment of fare, denying the receipt of the book. When fare was refused, Young was put off the train.

JUROR SUBSTITUTED. As Juror H. R. Seat of Covina, who fainted in the course of the \$50,000 malpractice suit against Dr. J. G. Stewart in Judge Hutton's court yesterday afternoon was not able to attend court, yesterday, S. D. Dille was substituted as a juror by the court.

IS SUBPOENAED. Constable Benjamin Cohen was yesterday subpoenaed by the Superior Court of San Francisco to testify in the case of Luther Brown on a charge of kidnapping Fremont Older, which begins in San Francisco, January 12.

MANY SUITS FILED. Twenty-five civil suits were filed in Justice A. L. Summerfield's court yesterday. The majority of his entering office as a justice, while eleven civil suits were filed yesterday.

Whoooping Cough.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will greatly lessen the severity of whooping cough. It liquefies the tough mucus, making expectoration easy and keeps the cough loose. Any tendency toward pneumonia or other serious results is promptly counteracted. (Adv.)

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Four great values your money if you don't like it, you know.

GREASE THE WAYS OF LIFE.

SAD STORY OF SUNDAY SLIDE TOLD BY WOMAN.

Dear Knobs, Steps, Milk Bottles and Lard and Oil and Dinner Spilled—Victim Complains That Neighbors' Children Make Her Life Miserable.

Alleging that the children made life miserable for her, Mrs. Lottie Richardson complained to the police yesterday of Genevieve Bell, David Bell, her younger brother, and James Todd, youngsters of the East Adams-street district.

Barren was her aspect when relating the incidents upon which she founded her protest. She went to church last Sunday. When she returned she was accompanied home by a friend. When they reached her home, the knob slipped from their grasp and they fell to the ground. The steps and the lard had been neatly covered with a thick layer of lard, oil, milk and lard. At the bottom of the steps, gutter dirt had been thrown about so that when the surprised church-goers finished their involuntary slide down the stairs, they came to a sudden stop in the mud pile.

Lard and grease disfigured the light gloves of the church-goers; chunks of mud covered their faces and garments; but there was worse to come. When Mrs. Richardson attempted to get up, she slipped and fell on the back porch, the ground being slippery with lard and oil. She managed to get the second bottle into the house and poured some of its contents into the coffee. When the latter was served it slid, too, for the milk had been thoroughly greased with lard and lard.

The dinner was not a success. Mrs. Richardson now charges the children with having grossly defiled the knobs, the steps, the milk bottles and the milk, and with having disturbed her peace. A trial will follow.

Gives up Husband.

On a complaint sworn to by officials of the Capitol Carriage Company, C. Smith, charged with having stolen several brass rods, was arrested yesterday and arraigned in Police Court.

Smith was dismissed by the company several days ago. According to the stories told by the prosecuting attorneys, Mrs. Smith, who they say is instituting divorce proceedings against her husband, discovered the rods in a closet in their home and turned the evidence over to the police.

Phased for Convicted.

H. G. Wright, restaurant inspector, after he had secured a conviction yesterday, pleaded for leniency toward W. J. Mendel, a restaurant-keeper at No. 5214 East Fifth street. The man refused to clean up and gave Wright considerable trouble in his inspection. He promised to clean up and mendel had no funds at the present time. He was fined \$10.

GOSPEL ON THE STREETS.

Large Crowds Gather to Hear the Speakers at the Business Men's Religious Meetings.

The business men's gospel meetings on the streets were attended by large crowds of both men and women yesterday, and there seemed to be a deep interest in what the speakers were saying.

Rev. W. A. Brown, assistant pastor of Temple Baptist Church, who spoke on Mercantile Place, had one of the largest crowds, and in Central Park, Rev. E. F. Ryland was surrounded by a large crowd of earnest listeners, who cheered their favorite preacher in the shelter of the trees and gathered around to hear what the preacher had to say. The chorists, Maj. Elliott, who spoke from the steps of the City Hall, was not wanting for listeners, and the same might be said of all the meetings here. Practically the same program will be followed today, but there will be more laymen among the speakers than yesterday.

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Although the supply comes from pure mountain streams, modern and expensive filtering and aerating plants have been installed. The system adopted insures the removal of 97 per cent. of all impurities, combining sedimentation, filtration and aeration. The filtering plant, which is several miles from San Diego, has a battery of ten filters—7,000,000 gallons a day is the present capacity of the filter, and arrangements have been made for an additional supply of 5,000,000 gallons. From the filtering plant the water goes to the aerating tables, in the suburbs of the city. These tables liberate any gases which may have been generated. Thus the water which reaches the table of the consumer is as pure as it is possible to obtain anywhere.

The source of supply is the Otay and Cottonwood watersheds, in the heart of the Cuyamaca Range. Three of the five dams which comprise the system—the Lower Otay, the

Upper Otay, and Chollas Heights—have been constructed, and the Barrett and Moreno dams are nearing completion. The present system is obtained from the Upper and Lower Otay reservoirs, which have a capacity of 22,306,258,540 gallons. These two reservoirs are more than sufficient to meet the requirements of a city four times the size of San Diego. These reservoirs now contain approximately 5,600,000,000 gallons. The Moreno reservoir, which is at an elevation of 2,200 feet, has a capacity of 15,335,000,000 gallons.

An important feature in connection with the water system of San Diego is that in the section where these dams are located, there is an annual rainfall greater than in any other part of the state south of the Tehachas—a section where, even in the driest years, a total of over 40 inches of water has fallen.

The Sweetwater reservoir, which supplies Chula Vista and National City, was filled by overflowing last spring. This dam is one of the largest structures of its kind in the country, and enough water is impounded to meet the wants of the people depending upon the system for several years to come. Still another system, owned by the San Diego Finance Company, has two reservoirs, with a combined capacity of 4,196,599,000 gallons, both of which are well filled. In other words, the city of San Diego and its surrounding country have at the present time close to 14,000,000,000 gallons of water impounded in the three systems mentioned above.

San Diego has solved other important problems just as satisfactorily as it has its water supply. Write for free illustrated booklet, and come and see what the city has to offer.

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Editorial Points

Make things pleasant as you go.
 Smile and get your eyes aglow;
 When pretty girls you overtake,
 Kiss them for their mothers' sake.

Everything looks bulky from the handle to the stout,
 And property'll get you if you don't watch out.

There seems to be as much talk in England over
 tariff reform as though England had a tariff to reform.

Marriage is never a failure. If it does not teach
 a woman self-restraint it will teach her to throw
 straight.

The longest way round is sometimes the easiest
 way to postpone what's waiting for you when you
 get there.

Let those persons who are set upon by Mr. Roosevelt
 congratulate themselves that it is not Taft who
 is President.

It is a good rule to take things as they come; and
 then if they don't suit you shove them along to the
 next fellow.

It is the "starter" in the horse race who causes
 all the trouble. If he could be eliminated there
 would be no race.

In leap year it is the early woman that catches
 the man. Therefore, girls, be up and doing, with a
 heart for any fate.

Mr. Bryan says that all the country needs to do is
 to be good. He appears to be unaware that it has
 a horror of being lonesome.

If the weatherman does not desire to be the subject
 of uncomplimentary remarks he will do well to
 soon start a few good rains.

A good neighbor is a blessing too priceless to be
 offset by the trifling fact that he makes a habit of
 borrowing the family umbrella.

The wrecking companies still find it pretty hard
 to keep ahead of the builders in Los Angeles. And
 they are going to find it harder.

The price of beer in Chicago has risen to such a
 price that many a resident of the city can't afford
 to drink more than a mug a day.

Among the candidates Mr. Fairbanks bears the
 nearest resemblance to Don Quixote, both in his
 physical appearance and his mental attitude.

That the regular crop of winter tourists has ar-
 rived is made evident by the number of inquiries
 one receives for the location of the postoffice.

When a man claims to be overworked it is well
 to ascertain whether he has worked too hard or
 whether he has been worked by too many people.

If it be true that the new owner of the London
 Times will make it a "tariff reform" paper, we fear
 he will lose "Uncle Joe" Cannon as a subscriber.

We are not up on nautical terms, but we suppose,
 of course, that a dog watch is when the sailors go
 to sleep and put the ship's hull terrier in charge of
 the deck.

The City Jail is too small, the City Hall is too
 small and lots of other things about Los Angeles
 are too small, including the surplus in the city
 treasury.

Another reason why people extracting sand from
 the bed of the Los Angeles River should be made
 to pay for it is that the sand is well known to con-
 tain gold.

Marking back to recollection of history it may
 be remarked that it is a long time since England
 had a Prince of Wales who was as quiet as the fa-
 centiment.

Not only is the financial situation improving, but
 also are those Christmas pipes getting now so that
 a man can pretty nearly depend on them for a de-
 cent meal.

The most charitable thing that can be said about
 the New York banks is that they merely broke
 the law when they allowed their reserves to fall \$55,
 000,000 short.

His critics will now be saying that President
 Roosevelt waited to come out real strong for civil
 service rules until after the Rough Riders were
 safely provided for.

There was a time when if Arizona and New Mex-
 ico were refused admission into the sisterhood of
 States they would have gone to Washington and
 shot out the lights.

Even though the doctors may appear to have no
 friends in the navy they should not despair. The
 druggists and the undertakers can always be de-
 pended upon to remain loyal.

We should think that it would always be better
 to buy a second-hand automobile in preference to a
 new one. The blamed things are more tractable
 after some one has tamed them.

The army, the navy, the millionaires and the
 chorus girls have been monopolizing the limelight;
 but next summer, when the politicians are looking
 for votes, the common, everyday farmer will shine.

Improvements are being made in the Capitol build-
 ing at Washington all the time, but, as yet, no pro-
 vision has been considered for a roped arena where
 the members of Congress can settle their personal
 differences.

THE EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ACT.

The division of the United States Supreme Court in rendering a decision on Sam Gompers' act, passed eighteen months ago, aiming to make employers responsible for accidents to employees where the accident is the result of carelessness on the part of other employees, or of defective appliances, or even of their own negligence, points out clearly two things: the complicated nature of the principles involved and the personal independence of the members of the court.

Of the nine justices five decided that the law is unconstitutional and four dissented. It will be remembered that some years ago in the second Cleveland administration a nearly similar split occurred in the court when the law imposing a Federal income tax had recently been passed by the Democratic Congress. The decision was much ridiculed, because its defeat was due to no "close shave." This was an exaggerated case, for the reason that one member of the court changed his vote during the decision of the point at bar.

In the instance now before us the nine members of the court disagree in all sorts of ways. The opinion written by one member was concurred in by two others as to the main finding but differed on the radical principle upon which this law is based. The justice who wrote the opinion held that although this law is unconstitutional Congress has power to pass a law placing the responsibility of employers to employees in this respect. Justice Brewer and Justice Peckham held that Congress has no such power. Justice Day agrees totally in the opinion written by Justice White, while Justice Moody holds the law is at all points constitutional. Two justices, Harlan and McKenna, hold the act to be constitutional, but contend that it applies only to instances where interstate commerce is involved; that otherwise it is a matter for State action.

Here are a great many points raised affording scope for much divergence of opinion. The fundamental point made in the opinion of Justice White is that the act gives to Congress powers not conferred by the Constitution and a control over matters intended to be dealt with locally. The radical question underlying the law that an employer should be held responsible to employees for accidents resulting from negligence on the part of servants or from imperfect appliances, is not touched upon particularly, it seems, in the opinion; but it is obvious that there is a broad element of justice involved and that the court had it in mind. The act is declared unconstitutional because it infringes on State's rights.

The justices manifestly exercised great care in trying to find a fair construction of the law. They acted in their individual capacities and seemed to have followed the light of their own legal knowledge, judgment and conscience. This probably will not shield them from severe censure at the hands of those laboring agitators who were the real proponents of the law, nor from bitter attack from the Populist advocates of the doctrine of "State's rights" in its extreme form. These great sticklers for this doctrine in the abstract make the Constitution stand for about any notion that strikes their fancy. But whenever the Constitution seems to shield an employer from anything that gives his employees all the advantages, no matter how unjust, then the Constitution is held by the "pops" to be a grievous burden and a thing to be disregarded.

No matter what the point of law on which the decision turned, the annulment of this act of Congress is a crusher for Sam Gompers and his gang of union labor agitators, at whose instance the law was enacted. It was merely a tin thrown to the labor union spouters—and now there is no tin. No injustice can be done by the invalidation of this act, as the laws as they stand provide ample redress for employees who may be injured while in the service of corporations. The courts are full of their damage suits and they generally get the best of it.

The decision of the Supreme Court impresses us with the necessity of maintaining in its fullest powers just such a tribunal, and also with the conscientious character of the members of the court, and their personal independence.

Courts are composed of human beings subject to the normal imperfections of human judgment. There is no doubt that popular opinion sways the judgment of most judges perhaps of all. For this reason courts should be rigorously protected from popular clamor. The good citizen even when he differs from a judicial decision will express his views with due restraint, and with becoming respect.

A WISE CURRENCY BILL.

A Congress, we are informed, is to pass an agency currency bill to safeguard the business of the country from a recurrence of a money stringency. Had this been effectuated, as the business men of the country urged, a year ago, we would have been saved from most of the troubles of the last three months.

Well, the new Congress has heard from the country and the right thing is to be done. Not only that, but the prospect is that it will be done in the right way.

The plan as outlined is a response to the popular demand and that of the more conservative bankers rather than to that of the speculators, brokers and less conservative bankers.

The new currency is to be available for emergencies and for such purposes only. First, the government will demand the deposit of approved securities to assure the redemption of this currency; then permission will be given to issue notes to the liberal amount of 70 per cent. of the face value of the securities; and next the banks will be required to pay the stiff tax of 4 per cent. on all such currency. The object of this tax is to prevent the use of these notes excepting in times of great stringency in the money market and to force their retirement when the emergency is over. The plan should work with automatic regularity.

The speculative element would prefer less scrutiny of the bonds offered to protect the notes issued, also the privilege of issuing notes to the full face value of the securities, and the tax proposed by this element would have been at 3, then 4, then at most 4 per cent. to cover some different issues. The effect of these provisions might have been an inflated currency.

The severely conservative theorists would have had a guarantee of this currency by the government, a most rigid scrutiny of the securities and a tax of 7 per cent. This would have made the law very slow of action, recourse being confined to cases of great panic in the financial world.

The proposed law is, as is usually the case, a sort of compromise in which the extremes meet half way in that "happy medium" where the best results are usually reached.

If the new law follows closely the plan proposed by the ablest and most credit managers of the country, in case of an emergency in the money market threatening seriously the business interests, it will be possible to add promptly to the circulating medium about \$300,000,000 which will pass current in all parts of the country just as national bank notes do, which will be issued in due conformity to law and under the direct supervision of the government.

The superiority of this method of meeting the difficulty over the issue of scrip which passes only where it is issued, and over which no governmental authority exercises any supervision, is obvious. It may not conform exactly to any plan to which banks have recourse in other countries, but that is in no way a valid objection. The proposed way of meeting our difficulties is probably all the better for not following too closely what is done elsewhere. Our banking system is not exactly like others; our ways of doing business have a character of their own; and the new law probably takes into account these

SQUELCHED ONCE MORE.



things, and therefore will fit our case all the better.

The bill, we are told, will be introduced in a short time and have "right of way" over all other legislation. It will be a law within a few weeks.

The principal objection to the "central bank" idea was that all the faddists and "new lights" were coaxed it was the only plan. Doctrinaires are unsafe guides in business.

PAGANINI'S FIDDLESTICK.

There is an item going the rounds of the press that the vast sum of \$45,000 has been refused by the bow, or fiddlestick, which Nicolo Paganini used upon his violin at his farewell concert in his native Italy more than three score years and ten ago. It is doubtful if the owner would sell the bow at any price. Surely he will not unless he shall find the wolf at his door and his house become the House of Want—a thing impossible as long as this wand of rosewood with its white strands is his. He has but to wave it and he may sit at the feast with Victor Emmanuel, the King; he shall knock but ever so lightly upon the gates of the Vatican and he shall share breakfast with "Beppo," the Pope; or, far ahead, the poorest beggar in Italy will give him the last morsel from his bag. What need of gold has he who carries with him through cities and sunlit country trails the magic fiddlestick of Paganini!

The world has never known a musician the equal of that unearthly man of whom Genoa is as justly proud as she is of her other immortal sons, Columbus. This very bow that some one, rich in heart and as rich in money, has striven to buy, was doubtless the one he used upon his wonderful Guarneri, the violin he loved the best; the one he held to his mother's lips when she was dying that her soul might pass into it; the one that spoke his love in son courts should be rigorously protected from popular clamor. The good citizen even when he differs from a judicial decision will express his views with due restraint, and with becoming respect.

ISSUES IN THE CAMPAIGN.

The great malinger, usually known as the "Commoner," rolled from his glib tongue sentences redolent of his own brand of ripe wisdom, at Omaha Monday night. It was a Jackson Day dinner, where hardly anything for which Jackson stood could be found under the cranial of any guest.

Mr. Bryan was the chief speaker, of course. Who else could be? What else could he be? With Peckhamian Puritanism he told the gaping assembly that the great issue in the coming campaign will be a "moral one" and that it will be the securing of an administration of the government for "all the people" and not for a "favored few."

Will some one (tell us when a Presidential campaign had not a moral issue in it, and when the government of the United States was not administered in the interest of all the people? If there ever was such a time it was while Mr. Bryan's party held sway and before the birth of the Republican party.

The Republican party was born in the throes of a moral reform, one of the most momentous on earth. It was to stop making merchandise of human flesh and to break the shackles from the hands of millions of men, women and children. The immoral side of this struggle was taken by Mr. Bryan's party.

Slavery and its stain having been wiped out, the next moral issue raised by the Republican party and related by Mr. Bryan's party was a fight to save the freeborn citizens of America from the necessity of competing in their struggle for a livelihood with the pauper labor of other lands.

This second battle having been fairly won, the next was for an honest dollar, which would prevent the debtor class who had borrowed money, worth 100 cents on the dollar in all countries under the sun, paying back this money in dollars worth only 50 cents. That was a moral issue if ever there were one. Again the immoral side was taken by Mr. Bryan's party, and furthermore, Mr. Bryan made that issue himself.

As to an administration of the government for the whole people, wherever and whenever the government has been so conducted as to shut out one class from its benefits to the advantage of a "favored few," that has taken place where and when Mr. Bryan's party has held sway. It is taking place today where this party holds sway and it is as immoral as it is contrary to the fundamental principles of our government. Such "favored ones" made the beneficiaries of the government where Senator Ben Tillman declares the whites will about the blacks to death rather than let them vote. It is going on where a Democratic State government in Maryland sues law against its own citizens.

to permit one "favored" class to vote while another authorized to vote on equal terms by the Federal Constitution is not permitted to enjoy this privilege.

Mr. Bryan will find moral ideas in plenty underlying the campaign of this year, and he will find when all is over that the people have so cast their ballots as to secure an administration of the government for all the people, and that the "favored few" have been lost in the shuffle or scuffle. Secretary Taft will be President Taft, and he will be the administrator of a government of equal rights to all, and W. J. B. will be among the "lost, strayed or stolen."

THE REAL CAUSE OF THE DISTURBANCE.

A few days ago the delicate instruments which trace earth disturbances recorded an upheaval of no pronounced nature that it was declared to put San Francisco's shudder in the shade. Where did it occur? The whole world asked. For a space nobody came forward with an answer, but at last indiscreet correspondents at Seattle, ashamed of the universal silence and not unwilling to earn an honest penny, located an earthquake far up in Alaska. They gave "time, place and circumstances," in order that their stories might pass muster before crusty managing editors, and now are rejoicing in a few well-earned shillings.

But they were in error. Yesterday morning's cablegrams from London conclusively prove this, for they unmistakably show that the upheaval occurred in the British metropolis itself. C. Arthur Pearson has secured the direction of the Times; the idea that such an event might happen alone was sufficient to send a shiver through the length and breadth of the "right little tale," at the time Pearson secured the staff and stately Standard. What will the man do next? asked the aristocrats, and when somebody suggested that "he might buy the Times" the metropolis almost stood still. Now that he has accomplished the feat the modern Babylon has been shaken to its very foundations.

Not since Lord Randolph Churchill walked down to the Times office one night and, before he had so informed Queen Victoria, told Walter that he had resigned as Chancellor of the Exchequer, has there been such a Printing House Square surprise.

This Pearson coup, this corralling of the thunder of "The Thunderer," out-Harrowsworths Harrowsworth. The jaded man in Lord Somebody or Other now, and they do say that, when he mounted to the press-ops on a ladder made of the old files of his newspapers, Pearson went green with envy and bitterly mourned because he was compelled to remain "below the salt" while his rival gladly answered the injunction, "Friend, go up higher."

Now that he has secured control of the Times Pearson no doubt catches a nearer glimpse of the House of Lords. The cablegrams state that it is believed the change of management has been made in the interest of tariff reform. If Great Britain ever ceases to plow her lonely free-trade furrow and adopts even a modified form of protection, Pearson may expect to be elevated to the scarlet chamber as a reward for "services rendered." Then, while he rubs shoulders with the crowned, the lawed and the gaitered, he probably will be heard to stage-whisper: "Alone I do it."

A bird in the hand is not worth two in the bush unless a man has some particular use for birds.

HILL RISE.

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CHAPTER VIII.—(Continued.)

"I am sure I am," said Dr. Blake, the eminent physician, who entered with a certain dignified shyness, which seemed to indicate doubt as to how his visit might be received. He was within the threshold, he coughed.

"Miss Crunden?"

"What about her?" asked old Crunden, still not looking round.

"I am Dr. Blake. I have come to see your daughter."

"Oh, all right, doctor. Go in," and Crunden nodded towards the parlor.

"Thank you," said Dr. Blake, no longer shy, but bluff, and, assuming all his professional consequence, he marched across the room behind Mr. Crunden's back.

Then, at last, Mr. Crunden turned and came towards him.

"Doctor, I wasn't attending; I was thinking of something else—L. S. P."

"I am anxious about my girl—very anxious. Don't neglect her case. I mean, don't consider the expense."

"My dear sir. Really, my dear sir," said Dr. Blake, bluffly, and, opening the door, he went into the next room to find his patient.

Old Crunden waited till he heard Lizzie speaking to her physician; then he softly closed the door, turned, and with his hands in his pockets stood staring before him as though completely lost in thought.

Mr. Dowling, at the table, was running a graduated rule over the plan.

"Upon my word," he said, "there's a tremendous length of frontage. By the way, has Sir John been to see you yet? He told me he was coming to ask for your support. Did he call?"

But Crunden gave no answer. He was not listening.

"I say," said Dowling, raising his eyes from the plan, "what is it, Mr. Crunden?"

"What?"

"What are you looking at? Have you seen a ghost?"

"No," said Crunden, "I heard the sound of a ghost's voice."

"My daughter—in there. Her voice reminded me of somebody else's. What were you saying?"

"Only asking if Sir John had been here yet."

"No."

"Well, he intends to," and Mr. Dowling began to fold up his papers.

"Look here—I'll leave these with you. You can keep them if you like. I've got another copy. Griggs, in fact, sent me two copies."

"Thanks, but I've seen all I want."

"With regard to Sir John," said Mr. Dowling, taking up his hat and umbrella.

"You understand, I'm here and soul with Sir John. But if the worst comes to the worst, and the land is to be built over—"

"You'd like to have a finger in the pie."

"Well, I should," said Mr. Dowling, laughing.

"Good-by. Very sorry Miss Crunden is still sorry. But you can't do better than Dr. Blake. Hope he'll soon bring her up to the mark. Good-by."

Mr. Crunden walked about the room till the parlor door opened again, and Dr. Blake reappeared.

"Well?"

Dr. Blake carefully closed the door before he spoke.

"Mr. Crunden, you tell me you are anxious. I think you are right to be anxious."

"What is it? Not—not consumption—that they call it, decline?"

"Oh, good gracious, no! Oh, my dear sir, nothing—nothing of the kind."

"What is it, then?" and Mr. Crunden sat down by the bureau and wiped his forehead with his handkerchief.

Dr. Blake shrugged his shoulders and opened his hands.

"Laziness—weakness. A little run down, shall we say? This hot weather has been trying. I have tried many of my patients. But I have no wish to alarm you. I only thought it right to say that, in my opinion, your daughter does need care and attention."

"Then let her have care—all the attention you can give her."

"My dear sir, I think you may trust me not to overdo it. I will not come more often than I think necessary."

"No," said old Crunden, hastily rising from his chair, "don't go off thirty times a day. I mean, if I say anything wrong in etiquette, I'm sorry. I wasn't thinking what I said. But I say you now to come as often as ever you like."

"Oh, my dear sir," and Dr. Blake shrugged his shoulders. But his tone was quite bland. He could really smile very plain talk better now than that there was no third present present.

"Come every day," said Mr. Crunden, looking at the doctor to the outer door, "if you judge by the signs it's necessary. Good-by, sir. And then he called after the doctor: 'Come twice a day—and I won't grudge it.'"

When fellow-citizens, after the town fashion, told Mr. Crunden he was "very warm," they were much nearer the mark than was usual with them while paying similar compliments. Miss Holland and Dowling had, one might indeed say, scored bullseyes when they said that Crunden was rich without show—his money solid and yet liquid—safely put by; yet easy to get at.

Old Crunden loved his money; not as a miser, for love of the hoard itself, but because it represented his life's work. There was his pride in the thought of it. He was a builder by instinct and by habit, and he might think of his fortune as the unspoken monument that he had slowly built up. All his toil had gone to the building of it. Money, too, is power. Here all his energy was stored—his life's energy converted into another form. It was latest energy now; but at any moment he could release it and say: "This is the power that lay in me, Dick Crunden."

He hated to see investments dwindle. Though he never meant to sell, he hated to watch good stocks and shares go down in value. He felt as if the shrinkage were his own. With each lowered quotation in the stock list, a little strength had gone from him. And he regretted the slight loss of power as a strong man regrets the least atrophy of his muscles or waning of his nerve force. But such diminutions were rare. On balance they vanished. One sound stock went down, but another sound stock went up. The only real depreciation of market value was in the ground-rent originally created by him and still retained. Ground rents as a premier security, had steadily dropped in price during recent years. Good provincial ground rents once fetched nearly as much as metropolitan ground rents. In Bedford they had brought over thirty years' purchase; then, dropping and dropping, twenty-five years became the usual figure; now it was twenty-three years, or even less.

"So long as you hold them," said the bank manager, "the selling price is of no consequence to you, Mr. Crunden."

Old Crunden loved the deference and consideration that he was always sure of in the manager's room of the Midland District United Bank. He might walk in whenever he pleased, and the manager was never too busy to talk

and to listen. It was no "How do you do, Mr. Crunden?" in here, but "Be seated, Mr. Crunden. And in what manner may we have the pleasure of serving you?" Perhaps of all the towns the bank parlor was the only place where Mr. Crunden felt he was dealt with exactly at his proper worth. In here men were weighed by a most unadmitted method; the man in one scale and his money bags in the other, and no longer pedigree or highest social rank added sixpence to the man's weight.

But in these days his money was nothing to Crunden—less than nothing. His daughter was ill.

Dr. Blake had been quick to avail himself of the tardy but handsome invitation. He came now to King's Cottage every morning or afternoon.

"I want to see her gain ground," Dr. Blake said.

Dr. Blake was not gaining ground as a physician of the old school. He liked such maxims as "Pasta lente," "Natura est our best ally," "Prevention is better than cure," etc., and the only modern characteristic in his practice was that he employed few drugs. Thus he hurried slowly with Lizzie, gave her no harsh draughts or doses, but came regularly to ascertain if she was gaining ground.

"Well?" asked the father, with increasing anxiety, "what's wrong?"

"Nothing organically wrong. You may rest assured of that. Laziness, disinclination for effort."

"Shall I make her go away for a change? It's about our usual time—but she says she doesn't feel up to it."

"Allow us a week or two," said Dr. Blake, "and then we may be glad of a change of scene; but at present our laziness stands in the way."

He was using the old-fashioned "wait and see" of course. Lizzie's laziness, not his.

We would not go out for walks, we would only loiter in our basket chair in the garden; drives in one of the White Horse cabs, or in no cab at all, we would avoid the fatigue of a holiday hour, with its crowded tables, noisy fellow-passengers in trains and steamers.

We seemed to care for nothing, but to sit with an unread book on our lap while we brooded and dreamed. What was the matter with us?

Dr. Blake thought the liver was undoubtedly sluggish, and suggested rides upon horses.

"Take up riding, Miss Crunden. Long, quiet rides over the hills and far away—do just as the mood is on you."

"Oh, no," said Lizzie. "I can't ride—and there's no one I could ride with."

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BUT DEMOCRATIC MAYOR BOOSTS GOV. HUGHES'S CAUSE.

Millionaire Executive of Ogdensburg, N. Y., Now at Hotel Maryland, Pasadena, Laughs at Chances of Bryan and Hearst—Light Plant Controversy.

Office of The Times, No. 34 E. Raymond Ave.
PASADENA, Jan. 17.—"Yes, I have been a Democratic Mayor of the Republic of Ogdensburg, N. Y., for six or seven years," said George Hall, president of the Ogdensburg Coal Company, last night at the Hotel Maryland. One of Mr. Hall's last acts before coming West was to give his native city a \$100,000 schoolhouse in memory of his wife, who died two years ago.

"If you ask me why I am Mayor of a Republican town," continued Mr. Hall, "I can only answer that it is because the people with it. I have tried hard enough to resign, but they won't let me."

"As to general politics—I am sure that Gov. Hughes would sweep New York State as a Presidential candidate. He is stronger in our section than either Roosevelt or Taft. I can tell this from the talks of my Republican neighbors. Gov. Hughes's Public Utilities act pleases the people, and at the same time it is not as obnoxious to the corporations as the legislation urged by the Federalists for which Taft stands. The President has lost prestige among our people woefully since he has been elected by the Federalists. They turn more and more toward Gov. Hughes, who seems to have no enemies to slay and no class to serve."

"As to Democratic chances, I am inclined to remain silent. Until we Democrats can nominate a statesman, we had better keep quiet. In my section of the country Hearst's Independence League is disintegrating. Ogdensburg was the only city in the state that Hearst carried in his campaign for Governor. He carried it by 500 votes, and the Democratic ticket carried it by more than 1500. Bryan is eating into his strength, and Hearst is a 'dead one.' Let the Democrats nominate Bryan, and then New York will show him under once and for all by 250,000 or more majority. We old-time Democrats are becoming tired of Bryan and his ilk. If the Democratic party must have another object lesson, let us make it good and certain."

"According to the indications it is unlikely that Hearst will be a candidate before the next State Democratic convention. He has as many enemies to punish that the people are becoming afraid of him. Therefore they are turning toward Bryan, who has few personal enemies, no definite policies and the glad hand for everybody."

"There will be some surprises when New York State lines up next year, and not the least of these will be the proof of the President's unpopularity with the people of his own State and the solid backing of the people of all classes. The President and his nominees have already incurred the hatred of the corporations, and I tell you that among the solid farmers and substantial small business men of New York State at large the President is losing every day."

"He is talking much and more than all the President desires can be accomplished without financial ruin through a man like Hughes, whereas if the present program continues, none of us can foresee the end."

Mr. Hall is one of the largest coal operators in the country. He owned and operated the Grand Trunk Railway with all its fuel. He is many times a millionaire, but attends to his mayoralty duties with the utmost faithfulness.

QUEER LIGHTING FIGURES.
In a report to the Council by Municipal Light Superintendent C. C. Glass, yesterday, he shows an earning by the city plant of \$444 for the month of December, but the Council cannot understand where it comes in. The municipal plant furnishes more current than the Edison, but fewer candles and lights. Thirty-nine thoroughfares are totally dark. Under the Edison system there were 160 incandescent lights in special districts, but under the present system there are 300 and about 300 thirty-two-candle-power lamps. These are more kilowatts, but they do not light as many streets. Now individual members of the Council want Glass to explain how the city earned \$444 last month, and when the Treasurer can get the money. Councilmen declare that if the city can only show an earning of \$444 it is going in debt, because the interest on the investment already made amounts to \$125 a month, and to really earn anything, the plant must make something over and above that figure.

Mayor Earley has constantly deprecated these reports of earnings of the municipal plant. He says there can be no earning until the commercial lighting plant is put in; the Mayor asks the public to disregard such reports, as the completion of the plant is necessary before dividends can be expected.

DOINGS OF COUNCIL.
Among the important business transactions by the Council was the award of a \$2000 contract to C. A. Baldwin of Los Angeles for 16,000 barrels of 15 gravity oil for the lighting plant.

The Mayor over the Lincoln Avenue bridge, which was waged between the residents of the north side and the Salt Lake Railroad Company, was put in the way of friendly settlement through the good offices of the Mayor. A. J. Toole, heading a delegation of north-siders, asked for the removal of the bridge. Recently Mayor Earley has been in conference with the railroad officials and, as a result, Attorney Halstead, representing the railroad, was present to discuss the matter. He asked for a conference between the railway engineer and the City Engineer to determine the merits of the case. It was agreed.

COPPER KING IS HERE.
Stopping at the Hotel Green are John D. Ryan and his wife and son of Butte, Mont. Mr. Ryan is considered the "copper king" of the world, since his recent victory over F. Augustus Heinze. He will spend the winter here as he is delighted with Pasadena.

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Miss Mary Bosbyshell, who was struck and killed by a trolley car yesterday.

LEAVES VALUABLE REALTY.

Soldiers' Home Veterans' Will Is Found to Dispose of a Considerable Estate.

SOLDIER'S HOME, Jan. 17.—Nicholas Percival, whose death as the result of being knocked down by a car of the Los Angeles-Pacific Electric line, and whose body now lies in the home morgue, was possessor of considerable real estate, it is learned in Los Angeles, besides being interested in some mining property in Nevada.

"The committee of administration on deceased members' effects" came across deeds and other papers of value besides a will. Associates of Percival, Col. D. at the home, state that they had been shown the will which bequeathed the property to two sisters residing in the East.

FRIENDS REGRET HIS GOING.
Among important recent clerical changes here is that of Louis La Grange, who, after nearly nine years' efficient work as Governor's clerk, tendered his resignation to take effect January 1. This was in accordance with a resolution of the board of managers regarding employment of relatives by officers in the various branches of the National Home for D.V.S. Mr. La Grange has secured an office at an increased salary and will enter on January 15. He leaves with the regrets of a host of friends among veterans, who had come to know him in official matters, and whose good wishes attend his departure. Together with Mrs. La Grange, he left for his new home in Los Angeles today.

C. S. Stuart, who has for four years past been employed as chief clerk to the general manager of Los Angeles electric railroads, is appointed Governor's clerk. He, with his family, will occupy the cottage just vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Louis La Grange.

PICKET SHOTS.
James H. Smith, late first lieutenant Co. B, Forty-third New York Infantry, is appointed sergeant of home Co. L, Vice Bail, resigned. The latter date is going East at an early date.

Other changes are George H. Eldridge promoted to weighmaster, Vice Reid resigned; William T. McCord, late Co. F, First Missouri Infantry, appointed clerk in quartermaster's department; Vice Eldridge, promoted; Miss Anne E. Palmer, a graduate of Hartford Hospital Training School, and post-graduate of General Memorial Hospital, New York City, is appointed nurse, Vice Miss Mary Lea, resigned.

SOCIETY CENTER—"Hotel del Coronado."
LORDSBURG.
Lordsburg, Jan. 17.—Acting under instructions from the Supervisors, Road Foreman L. T. Wire is repairing the road up Live Oak Canyon, making it accessible for automobiles as well as for carriages. This action of the Supervisors is said to have been taken on account of the adverse decision of the court last week, closing San Antonio Canyon to the public. Several attempts were made years ago to close Live Oak Canyon, but without success. Fortunately the road has never been washed out, but has been in the same place for a generation, so that no new attempt to close it is anticipated. The Supervisors are determined that the public interests shall be protected.

Pacific squadron at Coronado.
TO CLOSE SAN PEDRO GAP.
SAN PEDRO, Jan. 17.—The Board of City Trustees adopted a resolution this afternoon favoring the closing of the gap of 190 feet from the shore (western) end of the breakwater, which, according to the original plans of the War Department, has been left open. It is stated that a report favoring this move already has been submitted to the department by Capt. Amos A. Price, United States engineer-in-charge.

Captain goes overboard.
SAN PEDRO, Jan. 17.—Capt. Vallstad, master of the schooner Robert Seaside, which arrived here yesterday from Aberdeen, had a narrow escape from death by drowning on December 29, when coming over the bar at Gray's Harbor, during a storm. The bar was very rough and a sudden lurch of the Seaside threw the captain overboard. He managed to grasp a life line and was hauled back to safety.

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HOLLYWOOD BURGLARY.
HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 17.—The residence of T. B. Chase, at the corner of Rose and Magnolia avenues, was entered by sneak thieves last night, in the absence of the family. A gold watch, jewelry, and about \$5 in cash were stolen.

Pacific squadron at Coronado.
TRAGIC.
HORRIBLE FATE SHE SUFFERS.
WELL-KNOWN WOMAN—GROUND TO DEATH BY WHEELS.

While Absorbed in Thought, She Walks in Front of Rapidly-moving Pacific Electric Road Train at Santa Anita—Falls to Hear Whistle or Warning Shout.

MONROVIA, Jan. 17.—Miss Mary Bosbyshell of this city, sister of E. F. Bosbyshell of Los Angeles, was hit at Baldwin Avenue, Santa Anita, at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon, by a Pacific Electric three-car train, and instantly killed. She had told her friends that she was going to Los Angeles on business, and at first there was considerable doubt as to the identity of the body, but a pocketbook containing business papers, a check signed by Miss Bosbyshell, and articles of clothing furnished conclusive evidence.

The probable explanation of the woman leaving the car at Baldwin Avenue is offered by her friend, Mrs. Tucker, who says: "Miss Bosbyshell for a long time had a Sunday-school and music class in Santa Anita, but recently some of her pupils moved to Monrovia. I think that today, while thinking of something else, she left the car through force of habit when it reached the avenue."

Miss Bosbyshell walked down the avenue probably sixty feet, and then she was struck by the train. She was not thinking of the train, she was absorbed in thought that she did not see the rapidly approaching train. She was walking very slowly, and apparently was absorbed in thought that she did not see the rapidly approaching train. She was walking very slowly, and apparently was absorbed in thought that she did not see the rapidly approaching train.

AGAINST POOLROOMS.
South Pasadena Board of Trustees Passes Ordinance Directed Against Them.

SOUTH PASADENA, Jan. 17.—At the meeting of the Board of Trustees last night an ordinance prohibiting the keeping of pool or billiard tables for hire except in hotels having not less than twenty-four rooms, passed its first reading. This will exempt the Raymond and the Capitola hotels, but if it is passed, and is not held to be unconstitutional, will suppress the pool and billiard room lately opened in the Magnolia block.

A petition was presented, signed by a large number of residents at Ontario Park asking that the interlocking system at the crossing of Marengo Avenue and Huntington Drive be altered to close here yesterday from Aberdeen, had a narrow escape from death by drowning on December 29, when coming over the bar at Gray's Harbor, during a storm. The bar was very rough and a sudden lurch of the Seaside threw the captain overboard. He managed to grasp a life line and was hauled back to safety.

RADICAL CHANGES.
A new building ordinance was introduced, which makes many radical changes regarding the style of exterior to be allowed in the business section. Consideration was deferred for two weeks, so that property owners and others interested may become familiar with its provisions and suggestions.

In December eleven building permits were issued, the total cost of which was \$12,355. In the year just closed 217 permits were issued, representing a total outlay of \$351,854. In 1908 the number of permits was 231, and the expenditure thereunder \$454,000, while in 1909 the figures were 298 and \$537,500 respectively. For the three years there were 841 permits issued for buildings, to cost, in the aggregate, \$1,696,208.

DELIQUENT NOW.

City taxes became delinquent last night. The amount in arrears is considerably more than last year, notwithstanding the rush of taxpayers on the last day.

The City Treasurer's annual report shows total receipts for the year 1933, \$20,911 in the general fund, and \$5,497.85 in the library fund. The latter increased about \$500, and that sum was donated to the city by the Pasadena Public Library. The balance in the general fund was \$20,911.85, which exceeded by \$572.44 the amount available December 31, 1932.

Battleships now at Coronado Beach.

BEWARE.

PREPARE PILL FOR PILFERERS.

POMONA ORCHARDISTS PLAN TO STOP ORANGE THEFTS.

Liberal Rewards Offered for Arrest and Conviction of Depredatory Visitors—Blue Ribbon Poultry Capture Cops—Postmaster Plans Summer Home.

POMONA, Jan. 17.—Acting under instructions from the directors, Manager F. J. Dresher of the Pomona Fruit Exchange has had 300 notices posted upon cloth, offering a liberal reward for the arrest and conviction of any person caught stealing oranges from orchards of members of the exchange. The notices are being posted conspicuously in orchards abutting upon public highways.

The local peace officers are working with the exchange to stop fruit stealing. Many depredations have been committed by automobile parties, and the exchange members have been instructed to take down the number of the machine, note the number of passengers and telephone descriptions of the driver, and report to the police. The plan is to make orange thieves an unpopular pastime.

THREE FOR EACH.
The public library now has about 5300 registered members and about 14,000 volume of books on the shelves.

POULTRY PRIZE WINNERS.
The attendance at the poultry show continues large and interest is unabated. Prize awards are as follows: The opera cup, given by W. A. Baches, for best White Leghorns, Pomona Poultry Supply Company; Lecoq and Curtis cup for best White Rocks, Arthur Little, Los Angeles; Pomona Poultry Supply Company; Lecoq and Curtis cup for best White Rocks, Arthur Little, Los Angeles; Pomona Poultry Supply Company; Lecoq and Curtis cup for best White Rocks, Arthur Little, Los Angeles.

POMONA NOTES.
Postmaster W. M. Avis is planning to build a summer home on his land in Live Oak Canyon.

Rev. W. Wagon of the Baptist Church conducted the funeral of the late John Oogoodby from the family home, West Third Street, this afternoon.

Andrew Svensen, recently of Kansas City, has bought C. W. Brew's ten-acre orange grove.

The Common Working Chapter of the Pilgrim Congregational Church held an all-day session today. Luncheon was served at noon.

The funeral of the late W. H. Klier will be held from the Presbyterian Church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. H. C. Stevens, Pastor, Pomona Masonic lodge will attend in a body.

Receptions at Hotel del Coronado.
SMASH!
LEAPS WINDOWS IN HER SLEEP.
PERILOUS IS NIGHTMARE FOR LONG BEACH WOMAN.

While in Land of Nod She Imagines That Badgers Have Her by Hair and Arm—Dreams Her Way Through Window—Jumps Out Through One and in by Another.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 17.—Struggling with the throes of a nightmare, in which she imagined that badgers were gnawing at her hair and arm, Mrs. R. J. Young of Tillamook, Ore., screaming from her bed at 11:30 o'clock last night and plunging head first through the window of her bedroom, at No. 455 Elm Street, taking the window pane and screen with her, and arousing the neighborhood with her screams. Her fall was six feet to the ground, but this did not awaken the woman. Still screaming, she ran around to the south side of the house and leaped through another window back into the house, carrying the window glass in a splintered mass with her. She was then taken to the hospital, where she was injured, which consisted of cuts on hands and feet.

HOW UNCLE SAM PAYE.
One of the most important financial transactions of the city's history was the payment this morning by the government through Postmaster Hiram T. M. Todd of the first quarter's rent for the new post office building, which was \$20,000 in silver, but in return Mr. Todd had to give a receipt signed in triplicate that he had received the amount and was the qualified agent to receive it. The government has a five-year lease at an annual rental of \$20,000, which will return \$50 a month from a business concern.

SEASHORE NEWS NOTES.
The new City Council met in regular session today and started on their passage of the ordinance regulating salaries, creating new offices of Chief of Police and chief engineer of the fire department, and providing for deputies for the various departments.

The ordinance creating the Chief of Police and Fire Chief was opposed by Calhoun and McGrew, but the other five Councilmen voted for the measure.

The City Hall is too small to accommodate all the new officers and commissions, and the Council probably will rent three suites of rooms on the fifth floor of the First National Bank building for the use of the Mayor, the Board of Public Works and the police and fire commissions.

Work on Hotel Virginia is progressing at a rapid rate. Practically all of the bedrooms have been completely finished, and only the work on the first floor can prevent the hotel being opened February 1, and the contractor has assured the directors that he will be through ten days before the opening date. A large number of the rooms are already engaged.

The City Council this afternoon fixed the salaries of the Board of Public Works at \$1200 each with an allowance of \$60 a month for conveyance.

The Harbor Committee of the Chamber of Commerce this morning appointed C. J. E. Curtis, A. L. South, E. Henshaw and W. C. Smith, a committee to draft resolutions to be presented to the harbor engineers embodying details of harbor improvement of advantage to Long Beach.

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The most healthful, attractive and convenient suburban city in California.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

Special notice. Have you been in Bowman's studio to see his style of charge and present you one picture to convince you that Pasadena has a photographer classed among the best in the United States. I have the largest and best equipped studio in this city, in the new Kendall block, 65 North Raymond Avenue. Pictures framed at Wadsworth's. P. S. warships at Coronado now.

Pacific squadron at Coronado.

HOLLYWOOD BURGLARY.

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 17.—The residence of T. B. Chase, at the corner of Rose and Magnolia avenues, was entered by sneak thieves last night, in the absence of the family. A gold watch, jewelry, and about \$5 in cash were stolen.

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